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				Attorney Docket No.		826.1793				
REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL			Application Number		10/083,125					
			Filing Date		February 27, 2002					
					Atsuko OHARA et al.					
			Inventor							
				Group Art Unit		2622				
AMOUNT ENCLOSED			200.00	200.00 Examiner Name Tommy D. Lee			e	B		
FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)										
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Number Extra	Rate		Calculations		
TOTAL CLAIMS	9		- 20 =		0	X \$ 50.0		\$	0.00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4		- 3= 1		X \$ 200.	00 =		200.00		
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>July 5, 2006</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is										
enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160));										
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)										
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)										
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)										
Total of above Calculations =								\$	200.00	
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)										
TOTAL FEES DUE =								\$	200.00	
(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".										
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".										
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".										
METHOD OF PAYMENT										
Check enclosed as payment.										
Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.										
No payment is enclosed.										
GENERAL AUTHORIZATION										
If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:										
Deposit Account No. 19-3935										
Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP										
The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under										
37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g.,										
continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR										
1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.										
SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP										
Typed Name						Reg. No.		30,358 July 5, 2006		
/J. Randall Beckers/ Signature						Date	July	5, 2006) 	
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Examiner: Tommy D. Lee

For: HALF-TONE DOT ELIMINATION METHOD AND SYSTEM THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 5, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on July 5, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.